

Mad Man Moon
Genesis

Intro

4/4 3/4 4/4 3/4 4/4
| G#m | C# | Bbm | B | Ebmadd9 |

Verse

Ebm/D C#/C
Was it summer when the river ran dry,
Bb7sus4 G#/B Bb7 | Ebadd9 Eb |
Or was it just another dam.
Ebm9/D Ebm/D C#/C
When the evil of a snowflake in June
F#/B Bbm Badd9
Could still be a source of relief.

Bridge

Ebm9 Ebm Ebm7 Ebm6
O how I love you, I once cried long ago,
Ebm9 Ebm Ebm7 Ebm6
But I was the one who decided to go.
G#m9 C#m7 Edim7
To search beyond the final crest,
Ebm7 Bbm | Badd9 | Badd9 C# |
Though I'd heard it said just birds could dwell so high.

Verse

Ebm/D C#/C
So I pretended to have wings for my arms
Bb7sus4 G#/B Bb7 | Ebadd9 Eb |
And took off in the air.
Ebm9/D Ebm/D C#/C
I flew to places which the clouds never see,
F#/B Bbm Badd9
Too close to the deserts of sand,

Bridge

Ebm9 Ebm Ebm7 Ebm6
Where a thousand mirages, the shepherds of lies
Ebm9 Ebm Ebm7 Ebm6
Forced me to land and take a disguise.
G#m9 C#m7 Edim7
I would welcome a horse's kick to send me back
Ebm7 Bbm | Badd9 | Badd9 C# |

If I could find a horse not made of sand.

Eb **Fm**
If this desert s all there ll ever be
Fm7(5b) **E** **B**
Then tell me what becomes of me.
C#/C **A/C**
A fall of rain?
E **Edim7** **A** **E**
That must have been another of your dreams,
G#m/E **E** **Bbmadd11/A** **Bbm7/E** | **G#maj7/E** **Eb9** | **Eb** | **G#maj7/D** **Eb9/D** | **Eb/D** |
A dream of mad man moon.

Instrumental Interlude

Middle 8 mostly in 7/8 time
C F/Db
Hey man,
C Bb/Db F/Db
I m the sand man.
C F/Db
And boy have I news for you;
C Bb/Db F/Db C Fm/Db
They re gonna throw you in gaol
C Bb/Db
And you know they can t fail
C Fm/Db C Bb/Db
cause sand is thicker than blood.
Eb G#/E
But a prison in sand
Eb Bb/E
Is a haven in hell,
G#/E Eb G#/E Eb
For a gaol can give you a goal
| 2/4 | 7/8
G#/E Bb/E C D E
And a goal can find you a role
A/F B/F E A/F
On a muddy pitch in Newcastle,
B/F E A/F
Where it rains so much
B/F E A/F B/F
You can t wait for a touch of
| 2/4 | 4/4
C#/F# Eb/G# D7sus4
Sun and sand, sun and sand ...

Verse

Ebm/D C#/C
 Within the valley of shadowless death
 Bb7sus4 G#/B Bb7 | Ebadd9 Eb |
 They pray for thunderclouds and rain,
 Ebm9/D Ebm/D C#/C
 But to the multitude who stand in the rain
 F#/B Bbm Badd9
 Heaven is where the sun shines.

Bridge

Ebm9 Ebm Ebm7 Ebm6
 The grass will be greener till the stems turn to brown
 Ebm9 Ebm Ebm7 Ebm6
 And thoughts will fly higher till the earth brings them down.
 G#m9 C#m7 Edim7
 Forever caught in desert lands
 Ebm7 Bbm | Badd9 | Badd9 C# |
 One has to learn to disbelieve the sea.

Eb Fm
 If this desert s all there ll ever be
 Fm7(5b) E B
 Then tell me what becomes of me.
 C#/C A/C
 A fall of rain?
 E Edim7 A E
 That must have been another of your dreams,
 G#m/E E Bbmadd11/A Bbm7/E | G#maj7/E Eb9 | Eb | G#maj7/D Eb9/D | Eb/D |
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Interlude

G#m7 | % | B/D | % | Cm
 (break)

Coda

4/4 3/4 4/4 3/4 4/4
 | Fm | Bb | Gm | G# | Cm | % | Cm